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FLETCHER TO ACT IN STUART'S STEAD

Fauquier Senator Will Take Part in Presentation of Houdon Statue.

AWAIT FORMAL ACCEPTANCE

Virginia Commission Will Accompany Gift to Great Britain.

State Senator George Latham Fletcher, of Fauquier County, has been chosen by Governor Stuart as his personal representative on the commission which is to go to England to present to King George the reproduction of Houdon's statue of Washington on behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Senator Fletcher has accepted the designation. The other members of the commission are: Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Ellyson, Speaker Edwin P. Cox, of the House of Delegates, and Clerk of the House John W. Williams.

Definite plans for the presentation of the statue will not be made by the commission is now awaiting similar acceptance of the gift by the British government. In such formal communication there is involved a certain amount of delay in the transmission of the documents. As soon as the acceptance is received, the commission will meet and place the order for the reproduction of the statue. The molds of the statue are already owned by the State, having been made at the time that Virginia placed a reproduction of the celebrated marble in the Hall of Fame in Washington. The casting of the reproduction will be only a matter of a few weeks.

Lieutenant-Governor Ellyson, Speaker Cox and Clerk Williams have indicated their intention of personally occupying their places on the commission which is to accompany the statue to England and turn it over to the British government. The act creating the commission provides that these officials, or such persons as they may designate to their place, shall make the presentation.

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No Doubt of Action.

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CANDIDATES MAKE THEIR LAST APPEAL

Municipal Campaign Ends With Speechmaking Before Clay Ward Actives.

CITY PRIMARY ON TUESDAY

Addresses Marked by Evident Friendliness of Candidates for Each Other.

Rounding out a short six-week campaign, all the candidates for municipal office from Clay Ward finished active solicitation of votes last night, when they addressed the Clay Ward Actives. Reference to Daniel in the lions den mingled with praise of Wilson. Recital of personal ambition followed hard upon discussion of the necessity and ability of wearing evening clothes. Of personal issue or issue as between causes there was none. The last battle of the campaign wore to its close without figurative blood being drawn, and only by the shouts of the multitude, consisting of about 250 men, would it have been known that a battle was on.

Applause was frequent and often boisterous. A few in the rear of the auditorium of the Madison School, in which the oratory and argument were given vent, exploded into bleacher yells, and calm was slow in its restoration. Both candidates for the mayoralty were vociferously greeted, and only the cast of a die could have told which of the two won the most applause.

By vote of the Actives, it was decided to give the candidates for the City Council ten minutes each in which to set forth their claims for office. Election was not placed on the two candidates for the mayoralty.

T. Gray Haddon being absent in Dinwiddie County, there were four speakers in all. To V. C. Shea, candidate for the Common Council, fell the lot of speaking first, and gradually way was made for Mayor George Ainslie and his opponent for office, Jacob Umstut.

Ainslie Stands on His Record.
Mayor Ainslie recited some of the achievements resulting from his tenure of office in the last thirteen months and urged that if the people believed he had conducted the administration of the city's affairs carefully and efficiently that he be returned to office. On the other hand, he said, if it were not believed that he had done so, he would not ask to be returned, but would retire with gratitude for the trust imposed in him during the past. He said that he was a "co-operatorist" by nature, and that every man who had been in the co-operation of the heads of all the city departments. And he urged as a claim for his return, that he had been the Mayor of all the people, that he was tied to no class or cause, and that every man who might be or whatever his cause, had received his consideration at his hands. He felt that his conduct had been sound and businesslike, but that reasonable personal modesty would forbid him to elaborate on his achievements, and he would leave the question as to whether he had been efficient in the hands of the electorate.

Umstut Defends His Appearance.
Mr. Umstut reiterated denials that he was not a good speaker, and that he did not make a good appearance. "What's the matter with my appearance?" he demanded, "but on a dress suit when two Presidents were here, and I can put on one again whenever it is necessary."

As to whether he was the preachers' candidate, as had been said of him, he declared that he did not represent any class, but that he would be glad to have the preachers with him. "They are," he said, "a large following, and I shall be glad to have them with me."

Mr. Umstut referred to his ten years' record in the City Council. He said that he had fathered many moral measures, as he wanted it to be such a town that no man would be ashamed to be seen in the streets.

"And they say," he exclaimed, "that I am too straight a man; but I want you to see who are against me, and who have been against me for five times. It is a situation more serious than that in Mexico, and when you go to the polls on Tuesday I want you to shake off the shackles, if any of you have them, and extend your arms to the franchise."

He adverted a moment to his stand on the Richmond and Henric Railway Company's franchise question, so that there would be no doubt that he had voted to give the franchise to that company. He also referred to his position on annexation, and said that he had advocated straight lines, not lines drawn so as to leave certain private interests outside the corporation lines. In closing, he urged that the Clay Ward Actives remember him well on Tuesday.

The other candidates presented their claims briefly. There was some attempt at oratory, and the chairman's savel brought sudden death to a period of silence. The speaker was to be wrecked at sea. The crowd roared for the speaker to go on, but the rule had been passed that the time limit should be ten minutes, and the rule held.

Leo Peters took occasion to denounce those who were attempting to "stab him in the back" by spreading false tales that he was an employer of nonunion painters. He said that no one would dare rise and tell such a story before him, and the applause that followed showed that the audience believed him.

John J. Mitchell, Lawrence Paul, W. L. Finnegan, George J. Hooper, A. V. Glenn, Edgar B. English, Harry C. John, T. Powers and P. P. Pilcher. Each asked the voters to choose from among them those who they thought would make the best representatives, and the friendliness which each candidate has for the other.

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They include French serge in navy blue, black, new blue, tango, reseda green and several pretty shades of tan.

Also stylish poplins, plain and novelty all-wool crepes, in a variety of colors. Smart semi-fancy and dressy styles, trimmed with taffeta or moire silks, ribbon ruchings, Directoire or mannish notch collars. One is sketched.

The coats have handsome peau de cygne linings and the skirts are in wide assortment of smart fashions.

\$20 and \$22.50 Suits, \$12.75

Dressy Peasant Styles—One Sketched

Come in novelty crepes, gabardines, corded materials, matelasses and poplins, of navy blue, brown, black, tango, grass green, mahogany and shepherd checks.

Show pretty Tuxedo, Directoire or Medici collars, fine silk coat linings and the newest style skirts.

\$15 Dresses at \$9.75

Charming Afternoon and Evening Fashions of crepe de chine, taffeta, charmeuse, crepe meteor, silk poplin, wool crepe and flowered crepe. Show neck collars and vestes and skirts with peg-top or taffeta ruffles.

Colors include brown, navy blue, tango and green.

\$15 Balmacaan Top Coats \$9.95

Fine Scotch plaids and mannish mixtures, in a jaunty style, typically English. Some have belted backs.

\$17.50 Suits at \$9.50

Six models, including fine poplins, serge, shepherd check and basket weaves, with kimono sleeves, Directoire or Tuxedo collar of moire silk and edge bound with silk braid.

\$5 Serge Skirts, \$2.98

In navy blue and black, made in pretty two-tier style, or prettily fashioned with a cut-away tunic in front.



MANOEUVRE CAMP MAY BE ABANDONED

Mexican Trouble Likely to Prevent Gathering of Troops at Winchester.

NO ORDERS ARE RECEIVED

Nothing Has Been Done Toward Preparing Site for Soldiers.

ROTARIANS AT CHURCH

Members of Unions Club Will Prove They Are "Rotary" Men.
Tonight will be "Rotary Night" at the First Presbyterian Church. At the last meeting of the club a resolution was unanimously adopted to attend to-night's service at 8 o'clock, and it is expected that all members, accompanied by their families, will take the capacity of the church. The service will be a musical and literary affair, and it is planned to show Richmond what it is capable of in a church attendance.

Rev. P. T. McFadden, D. D., pastor of the church, will deliver the address. Ph. D. rabbi of Beth Abrahah Temple, also has been invited to deliver an address.

Tuesday night will be Rotary night at the Lyric Theatre, and upon that occasion Rev. A. C. Chandler, superintendent of schools, will deliver an eight-minute address in behalf of securing for Richmond a public library.

The Weather

Forecast: Virginia—Showers Sunday; Monday fair, warmer.

Norfolk—Showers Sunday; Monday fair, warmer.

Special Local Data for Yesterday.

12 noon temperature..... 73
3 P. M. temperature..... 71
Maximum temperature up to 8 P. M..... 74
Minimum temperature up to 8 P. M..... 62
Mean temperature..... 68
Normal temperature..... 62
Excess in temperature..... 6
Deficiency in temperature..... 6

March 1..... 217
Accumulated deficiency in temperature since January 1..... 236
Accumulated deficiency in rainfall since January 1..... 1.05

Local Observation 8 P. M. Yesterday.

Temperature..... 69
Humidity..... 88
Wind-velocity..... 8
Weather..... Cloudy
Rainfall last twenty-four hours..... Trace

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)
Asheville..... 62 74 52 Cloudy
Atlanta..... 70 74 58 Cloudy
Baltimore..... 68 74 58 Cloudy
Boston..... 46 48 64 Rain
Buffalo..... 42 46 38 Cloudy
Chicago..... 50 52 34 P. cloudy
Cincinnati..... 68 72 64 Clear
Cleveland..... 68 72 64 Clear
Dallas..... 68 72 64 Clear
Denver..... 68 72 64 Clear
Detroit..... 68 72 64 Clear
Houston..... 68 72 64 Clear
Kansas City..... 64 70 66 Clear
Louisville..... 56 58 36 P. cloudy
Memphis..... 68 72 64 Clear
Montgomery..... 70 72 64 Clear
New Orleans..... 68 72 64 Clear
New York..... 64 74 68 Rain
St. Paul..... 42 50 46 Rain
San Francisco..... 72 74 60 Cloudy
Savannah..... 74 82 60 Clear
Spokane..... 64 68 52 Cloudy
Tampa..... 70 78 56 P. cloudy

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April 26, 1914.

Sun rises..... 5:22
Sun sets..... 6:53

Morning..... 4:45
Evening..... 5:30

AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

Common Garden Sage and Sulphur Makes Streaked, Faded or Gray Hair Dark and Glossy at Once.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, attacked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You will get a reliable source for this famous remedy, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another day or two all the hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy, and you look years younger. Advertisement.

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open for the time being. The government has already leased about 1,500 acres of land two miles southeast of Winchester from the various people who own the property, and the owners received their copies of the contracts several months ago. There is, however, a clause in each contract to the effect that the owners will receive one-half the amount of the lease if the land is not used by the army. It has been the intention of the War Department to send cavalrymen here from Fort Myer, Va.; Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and from several other forts, making about 6,000 troops in all, and Major-General Leonard Wood, until recently chief of staff, had been selected to act as umpire during the first month of the camp. Local people are quite naturally hoping the trouble in Mexico will be settled speedily, so that the soldiers will come again for their war games.

Great School Fair.

The largest school fair ever held in the Virginia Valley attracted large crowds to Winchester yesterday. The school in this city and Frederick County was represented in the display, which was made up of over 600 objects, including a variety of domestic arts and sciences. Upwards of 2,000 boys and girls, led by their teachers and school officials, marched in a parade, headed by a band, and in the afternoon a monster educational rally was held in the local theatre. Addresses were made by City Solicitor R. Gray Williams, Rev. W. D. Smith, Superintendent M. M. Lynch, of the county, and others. The school fair is to be made permanent.

Grace Lutheran Church of Winchester is soon to be equipped with a complete set of chimes, costing \$5,000, which was left for that purpose by the late David S. Glazie, a wealthy resident, who died recently, and whose will has just been recorded. They are known as the "Brevitt Chimes," in memory of his son, David Brevitt Glazie, whose death occurred some years ago. The bulk of his large estate is left to his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Glazie.

Although the Interstate Commerce Commission has not yet given its decision in the matter of freight rate adjustments, prayed for by Eastern shippers, particularly those dealing in apples and other fruits, it was learned to-day, that the majority of the Eastern railroads have assured apple and peach growers that better rates will be given when the shipping season begins. The main complaint came from the apple men, as very few peaches grown in this section are shipped by freight. Attorneys for the shippers are now presenting evidence showing that the railroads had been charging more for short hauls from the Shenandoah Valley and contiguous territory than they did for long hauls from New York State, and that the Virginia growers were, as a result, unable to successfully compete with those of the North.

Rapid progress is being made in the work of resurfacing the Shenandoah Valley Turnpike, between Winchester and Staunton, with new asphalt binder. The work is being done in such a manner as not to interfere with traffic, which is increasing every day, now that good weather is here, and numbers of motoring parties have been visiting the road over the historic highway. The new road is about as free from dust as any city street. Motorists traveling over the road are being urged to co-operate with county authorities in seeing that the speed laws are not recklessly violated. The officers, however, have had little to do in this respect.

An old road between Front Royal and Bentonville, Warren County, is now being rebuilt by a large force of convicts under the direction of the State Highway Commission. About twenty miles of road will be constructed at a cost of something like \$50,000. Half the money was raised by bond issues and the balance came from the State aid fund. Similar work is to be done in other sections of Warren County, where the gospel of good roads is being preached by the progressive farmers.

A large number of relatives, some of whom live here, are to share in the distribution of the estate of the late Zephaniah Silver, an immensely wealthy bachelor of Berkeley County, W. Va., who died recently at the home of his nephew, Senator Grey Silver, in Martinsburg. Mr. Silver owned vast tracts of land in Madison County, Ill., and large estates in the East. A great many nephews, nieces, cousins and other family connections and friends are remembered with bequests, ranging from \$500 up to \$4,000, while others will get farms, bonds and securities.

Local fruit growers began to look gloomy a few days ago, when the Weather Bureau issued a special bulletin to the effect that frost was indicated for the lower Shenandoah Valley, but there was sufficient wind during the night to keep the fruit trees from freezing, and no damage resulted. Thousands of early fruit trees are now in full bloom, and the apple tree buds are swelling. By the middle of May the hillsides and valleys will resemble great flower gardens.

Captain Louis McCoy Nulton, of Winchester, commanding the armored cruiser Montana, which left Quantico, Cuba, on Tuesday for the Portsmouth (N. H.) Navy yard to have torpedo tubes installed, received wireless orders directing him to change his course and proceed without delay to Vera Cruz. The Montana has since arrived at that port.

Plans are being mapped out by Rev. P. Strother and a committee of church members to hold a campaign meeting, to be held early this summer near Ridgeway, Berkeley County, West Virginia, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The meeting is to be held for several years past by Rev. Mr. Strother, who has attracted great crowds from all sections of the Cumberland Valley.

Rev. W. H. Causey has been received from the North Carolina classis of the Reformed Church into the Virginia classis of the Potomac Synod, and will shortly be installed as pastor of the church at Mount Crawford.

Episcopal Auditor W. L. Gravatt, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of West Virginia, arrived here this evening from his home at Charleston, and to-morrow he will receive candidates for confirmation in Christ Church of Winchester, and in Grace Church at Berryville in the evening. He is taking the place of Bishop Robert Atkinson, who is ill at his episcopal residence in Richmond.

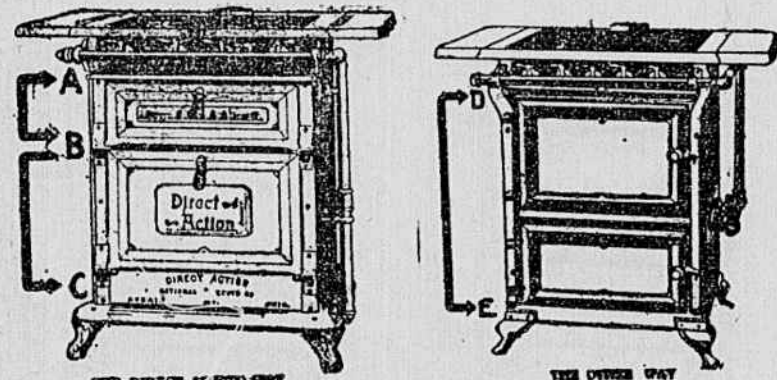
A party of tourists spending part of the week in Winchester and vicinity included former Secretary of the Navy William B. Chandler, United States Senator Henry P. Ellis, Judge Edgar Aldrich and Mr. and Mrs. Irving G. Drew, all of New Hampshire, who made the trip from Washington in large touring cars. They were accompanied from place to place by local guides. Senator Hollis returned to Washington in advance of other members of the party, so that he could give consideration to important matters relating to the Mexican situation.

W. E. J. Taylor, the oldest resident of Hampshire County, West Virginia, celebrated his 101st birthday on Wednesday. He enjoys splendid health, is in full possession of all his mental faculties, takes a keen interest in current events, and bids fair to live for some years to come. He related many of his Mexican war experiences to those who called to extend congratulations on his birthday.

Committee Meetings.
Council committee meetings scheduled for this week are as follows: Tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, the Subcommittee on Finance; at 5 o'clock, the Subcommittee on Education; at 5:30 o'clock, the Subcommittee on Public Buildings, Properties and Utilities; at 6 o'clock, the Committee on Claims.

Physicians Will Have Meeting.
The regular meeting of the Richmond Academy of Medicine, Virginia, will be held on Tuesday night, April 28, at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce Building. Papers will be read by Dr. Alex. G. Brown and Dr. Fred M. Hodges. Dr. William S. Gordon and Dr. Grant Baughman will report two interesting cases.

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